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orset overs at 8c, 19c and an extensive line in all styles at Chemises

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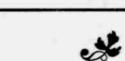
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BOER OLIVIER ESCAPES.

Gets Away Northward to Join Main Army.

A REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENT.

Worn Out Condition of French's Cavalry Horses Probably Explains the British Pailpre-Clements in Fauresmith-England's Heavy Casualties.

London, March 28. - With his army from the south of the Free State Commandant Olivier is apparently eluding the British pursuit and making good his All the evidence goes to show that the

retreating invaders of Cape Colony have practically succeeded in getting away from the British columns which it was thought would encompass and capture them. They have accomplished a long. daring and difficult flank movement in the face of a vastly superior force. Olivier is said to have already reached 'locolan, which is near the border of Basutoland and on the road running from Ladybrand northeast to Ricksburg. This is north of the line on which French's cavalry has been operating, and the fact

tempt to stop the progress of the Boer column was a failure. The worn out condition of General French's horses probably had much to do with Olivier's escape. General Clements has reached Faure-

that the British general has returned to

Bloemfontein seems to prove that his at-

A small British force that entered Ladybrand was forced to retreat hurriedly before a large number of Boers, who may have been part of Olivier's command. Firing has been heard at Modder pont, which would seem to be near Modder poort, to the southwest of Clocolan. Possibly the Boer rear guard has been en-

There have been cavalry skirmishes at Lord Roberts' outposts in the Free State and General Buller's in Natal. General Buller reports that the Boers tried unsuccessfully to trap some men of the Thirteenth hussars. General Botha, who commands at Glencoe, declares, on the other hand, that he cut off an advance guard of

British Casualties. The weekly casualty list as published today shows that the British losses will be very heavy. Mr. Wyndham's original roseate estimate that the war would be carried through at a cost of not more than 3,000 lives is bound to be very much exceeded. Up to Saturday the British Jolo, commanded by General Kobbe. forces had lost 2,130 men killed, while Major General Otis will retain the su 9,807 were wounded and 3,515 missing or prisoners, making a total of 15,453. To these must be added 1,200 deaths from disease, or a grand total of 16,652.

These figures, however, do not make evident the actual weakening of the British army due to illness, hardships and long marches. General Macdonald, writing from l'aardeberg, states that the highland brigade had at the time only 24 officers and 1,600 men fit for duty out of a total of 37 officers and 3,000 men. Hard marching, bivouacs in the open and other trials of the severe campaign had reduced the brigade's strength nearly 50 per cent.

The 6,000 men that remained of the garrison at Ladysmith are recovering very slowly from the effects of the siege. It may be weeks before they are able to participate in any military movement. Letters are now arriving from Lady smith which show the desperate condition to which the garrison had come when the city was relieved. Only 1,000 men were physically fit to offer any de termined resistance to the Boers at the time Lord Dundonald arrived.

Mafeking's Fun With Boers, A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Mafeking, dated March 16, describes the humorous side of the siege. It appears that the colonials set up bottles, inviting the Boers to shoot at them and then chaff the enemy when the shots go wide. Another trick of the colonials is by persistent concertina playing to lure the Boers, excited by curiosity, to raise their heads from the trenches, when they are prompt-

A detachment of colonial natives, com manded by Mackenzie, advanced to Jack al Tree fort, the position originally occupied by the siege gun on the southwest ern heights, but the Boers discovered the plans and evacuated it. Previously a detachment of Baralong natives had been dispatched against a new fort threatening our western position and succeeded in creeping up to within a few yards of the sleeping Boers outside and in the rear of the fort. They fired three volleys and then retreated, in accordance with their instructions.

Sunday, March 11, was observed as a truce. The British troops sat on the parapets conversing with the Boers, and amiable relations were maintained until

The Boers recommenced the bombard ment March 12, a 6 inch gun which had been comparatively sifent for a week firing the shrapnel used against troops in the open. The projectiles were ineffectual against cover, but were dangerous to pedestrians. One shell burst in the courthouse, killing several natives and wounding four persons. Several women were also slightly wounded. The steel plate of the shell passed through the hotel office and spent itself beneath a table, where it was scrambled for by the employees. Another shrapnel shell burst above the bombproof occupied by the Reuter correspondent and sprinkled the wall with bullets.

To Pay Philippine Army. New York, March 28.-One million three hundred and three thousand dol-

lars for the payment of Uncle Sam's soldiers in the Philippines left the subtreasury yesterday. There was \$600,000 in gold coin packed in wooden boxes, each containing \$20,000; the same sum in bills packed in three iron safes, and the balance, consisting of minor coin, packed in cartridge boxes. The money was hauled down Broad street under a guard of 18 soldiers, commanded by Lieutenant Moore of the regular army.

Elkins, W. Va., March 28 .-- A messenger from Gilman, a country station six miles from here, tells of a tragedy near there. H. G. Frum, an old soldier and farmer, shot his wife twice at the home of a neighbor, then went home and shot himself three times. One shot took effect in his mouth, ledging in his brain, from which he will die. His wife is expected months ago, but were reconciled on Monday. Jealousy was the cause.

Death of General Tower. General Zealous B. Tower, U. S. A. retired, has died at Cohasset, Mass., aged 81 years. He saw active service in the Mexican and civil wars, serving with distinction in both and being retired in

1853 He was superintendent of the Military academy for a short time. Colonel Jack Chinn to Lecture. Colonel Jack Chinn, the devoted friend of Gevernor Goebel, who was with him when he was shot, has announced that he will shortly take to the lecture plat | vice Daniel E. Sickles, and C. King. | placed at \$1,000 km, he will shortly take to the lecture plat | Kay of Brooklyn, vice Horatio C. King. | sets are not yet known.

RUSSIA IN TURKEY.

Report That the trar Is Menneins the Sultan. London, March 28.-The Standard

gives double leaded prominence to the following special dispatch from Odessa: "There can be no longer any doubt as to the object of the warlike preparations now being completed in south Russia. "Nearly 250,000 troops have already been mobilized for active service, and the Black sea squadron, with transports

is held in instant readiness. "The tension in the relations between St. Petersburg and the sublime porte be comes every day more acute. The posi tion is looked upon with the greatest ap-"If the Ottoman government, support-

ed by Germany, should prove stubbornly intractable with regard to Russia's con cessionary demands in Asia Minor, serious complications must inevitably ensue "The Russian garrisons in the Caucasus and along the Armenian frontier have been increased fourfold and equipped for active service."

New York Primaries.

New York, March 28.-Former Leader John C. Sheehan was defeated last night at the Tammany primaries of the Ninth district. Abraham Gruber repuls ed the attack made upon him by Lemuel E. Quigg and George C. Austin in the Republican primaries of the Twenty first assembly district. Captain F. Norton Goddard defeated Charles A. Hess and William Henkel in the fight for the control of the Twelfth congressional district. Captain Goddard and Cornelius N. Bliss will go as delegates to the Republican national convention. His vic tory and that of Mr. Gruber were body blows to Lemuel E. Quigg, chairman of the Republican county committee. Captain Goddard was hailed last night as Quigg's successor at the head of the county organization. There were no contests in the other districts of this borough against the tickets put up by either of the party machines. Senator Coffey won the fight against the regular Democratic organization in the Ninth assembly district of Brooklyn.

To Divide the Philippines. Washington, March 28.-Secretary Root has directed the creation of an entirely new military division to be known as the 'division of the Pacific," embracing all of the Philippine archipelago. The division in turn is to be divided into four military departments as follows: The de partment of northern Luzon, commanded by General MacArthur; the departmen of southern Luzon, commanded by Gen eral Bates; the department of the Viscayas, commanded by General Hughes, and the department of Mindanao and

preme command over these departments as division commander, occupying toward them a position corresponding closely to that occupied by General Miles toward the military departments in the United ing death." In the course of his sermo States.

Pingue in Hawnil,

Honolulu, March 20, via San Francis o, March 28.-Two cases of plague have een reported since the 15th inst. On was a Chinaman, the other Hawaiian, a guard employed by the board of health. The health situation n longer requires the attention of the citi zens' committee, and the work of inspec tion has been turned over to 30 men wh act under orders from the board o health. About 150 men have been inocu ated with serum during the past week According to the board of health rule ntending passengers for outside island: nust take this treatment, which has been very successful thus far.

Chinaman Starves to Death, Santa Barbara, Cal., March 28.-Th loop Dawn has returned from San Nich olas island with a story of suffering an death from starvation. The boat wen over to bring back a party of thre Chinamen who had been on the island for six months gathering and curing abalones. Three months ago an un known sloop from San Pedro called at the island. During the absence of th Chinamen the visitors stole everythin: eatable in the camp and put to sea. On of the Chinese died about a month ago

\$400,000 on a Horse. London, March 28.—Yesterday's Lin

and the other two, when the Dawn ar

rived, were too weak to move.

olnshire handicap was a good thing for some of the South African crowd, as they almost to a man backed H. Barna to's winning colt, Sir Geoffrey, a son o St. Angelo, at odds of 20 to 1. Geoffrey won in a canter from 24 opponents. It was stated at the clubs las night that they won \$400,000 by the colt's win. The principal winner of the coterie was B. Joel, who three weeks ago bid 34,000 guineas, more than \$170,-000, for Flying Fox.

Bruso Surgeon General, Buffalo, March 28 .- Major Frank Bruo, who served as a brigade surgeon of volunteers during the war with Spain, has received notice from Major Putnan Bradlee Strong of New York city, com mander of the National Association of American-Spanish War Veterans for the state of New York, that he had been appointed surgeon general of the state department. Major Bruso has accepted.

Reception to General White. Cape Town, March 28.-Sir George White was accorded an immense reception here last night. Replying to an acdress, he paid a tribute to the late General Sir William Penn Symons, who, he said, first taught the Boers that the British soldiers could drive them from their strongest positions.

Franchise Tax Estimates Albany, March 28. - It is estimated rom the value set on New York city ranchises by the state tax commissi that the bill will add to the real estate to be taxed for local purposes \$300,000,000 worth of property. This will increase the state income at the present tax rate by

Women Hoot at Mayor Van Wyck. New York, March 28.-Two thousand schoolteachers hooted at Mayor Van Wyck, hissed President J. J. Little of the board of education and created the wildest scene of disorder ever witnessed in the city hall yesterday at the hearing on the Davis school bill.

about \$800,000.

Killed For Six Cents. Alexandria, Va., March 28.-Frank ilias "Nooks" Payne shot and almost in stantly killed Thomas Bryant as the result of a quarrel over six cents growing out of a game of cards. Both are young to recover. The couple had parted two negroes. Payne claims the act was done in self defense.

New Trustees For Bath Home,

Governor Roosevelt has nominated as

trustees of the Soldiers and Sailors' home at Bath the following: Benjamin Flagler of Niagara Falls, vice George R. Sutherland; Benton McConnell of Hornellsville, vice Frank Campbell; Clinton D. Macdougall of Auburn, vice Hotchkiss S. Finch; Thomas W. Ford of Rochester, vice Joseph P. Cleary; Charles A. Orr of Buffalo, vice John Palmer; Thomas R. Proctor of Utlea, vice J. Monroe Shoemaker; George W. Dunn of Binghamton,

HILLIS HEADS OFF FOES NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Offers to Withdraw From Chicago Presbytery.

HIS TEACHINGS OBJECTED TO.

Denunciation of Article In Confes sion of Faith Causes Indignation His Congregation Supports Him-Statement by Mr. Shearman,

New York, March 28.-The Rev. Dr Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth church, Brooklyn, has offered to withdraw from the Chicago presbytery on account of the criticisms made by members of the presbytery of his ser mon last Sunday. Late last evening Dr. Hillis sent a letter to the Rev. Dr. Gray, editor of The Interior and a member of the Chicago presbytery, saying that if serious exception was taken to the views expressed in the sermon he would resign in the interest of peace and

harmony Four leading members of the presby tery, who are also connected with the McCormick Theological seminary at Chicago, from which institution Dr. Hillis was graduated, have virtually charged him with heresy in dealing with the subject of future punishment. He refuses to withdraw a word of what he said in the sermon. As pastor of Plymouth



DR. HILLIS.

church Dr. Hillis is not amenable to anybody except the congregation, which is sed to sustain his Dr. Hillis' sermon was in part a de nunciation of the article in the Presbyterian Confession of Faith which de clares that "by the decree of God, for the manifestation of his glory, some men and angels are predestined unto everlast-

Dr. Hillis said: "The day the scholastics wrote tha chapter in the Confession of Faith they got the devil confused with God. I would rather shake my fist in the face of the Eternal and fling every vile epithet to ward his stainless throne, where eternal Mercy sits with the world's atoning Saviour, than lift my hand with that reed toward God's throne and affirm that I taught or believed it.'

Congregation Backs Him. Plymouth church being a Congregation al church, the pastor is not answerable to any outside body for the opinions h may hold or the doctrines he may preach That the members of the congregation are fully in accord with the views of their pastor became evident when some of them were seen vesterday; Thomas G. Shearman, a leading men

ber of the church, said that Dr. Hilli was saying in the pulpit of the church what he had been expected to say. Of course he was not orthodox according the standard of the McCormick seminary according to the Jonathan Edwards school of theology. One reason for call ing Dr. Hillis to the church was that he was known to be a disciple of Henry Ward Beecher, and the church was wit him in all that he had said and done. "No one in Plymouth church," sai

Mr. Shearman, "believes in the West minster confession of faith as it is inter preted by the McCormick Theologica seminary. We believe that God is a fa ther and will save all his children. "The Chicago people have no power

over the people of Plymouth church. All they or others can say is, 'We don't like you, and we won't shake hands with you. It is not an unusual thing for a Presby terian minister to become pastor of Congregational church, or vice versa. Di Abbott, you may remember, was pastor of a Presbyterian church. But I expect ed that Dr. Hillis would have asked for his dismissal from the Chicago presby tery before this. We do not want him to remain a Presbyterian. We want him to be a Congregationalist."

Washington, March 28.-The arguent in the case of Senator Clark Montana, which was to have been mad by the senate committee on privilege and elections today, has been postpone until Tuesday of next week on account of the enforced absence of some of the members of the committee. The briefs on both sides of the case have been dis tributed among members of the commit tee. The brief of the memorialists covers

142 pages and is signed by ex-Senator

Edmunds, Mr. Arthur A. Birney and ex-

Congressman Hartman. The brief of the

lefense, signed by Hon. Charles J

The Clark Case.

Faulkner and Mr. Roger Foster, cover-232 pages and is divided into a discussion of the facts and the law in the case from Senator Clark's standpoint. The document is throughout an arraignment of the prosecution. Big Consignment of Coffee, New York, March 28.-The steam Penrith Castle, Captain Lewis, has ar rived in quarantine with the largest cargo of coffee that was ever shipped from he port of Santos, Brazil, consisting of

Bros. and other merchants of New York. To Succeed Father Malone. Albany, March 28.-It has been definitely decided that the Republican caucus tonight will select the Rev. Father Thomas Hendrick of Rochester to be regent of the university in place of Rev. Sylvester Malone, deceased

85,844 sacks. It is consigned to Arbuckle

Fatal Explosion in a Quarry. New York, March 28 .- One man was cilled and two probably fatally injured by the premature explosion of a blast of dynamite in Allen & Russell's quarry near Waterloo, N. J. D. Appleton & Co. Fail.

The publishing house of D. Appleton & Co. of New York city, which has been in business for three-quarters of a century without interruption, has made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. and J. Hampden Dougherty was appointed receiver by Justice Bischoff in the supreme court. It is generally understood volved is merely temporary and that the phia, on Thursday. assignment followed as the result of a desire to protect the interest of all the creditors. The liabilities of the firm are placed at \$1,000,000, but the actual as-

Happenings of the Wide World Briefly and Tersely Told. The State bank of Hardy, Neb., has

been robbed of \$4,000. Valuable copper deposits have found near Canton, Pa. Former Governor Stone of Mississippi lied from erysipelas at Holly Springs,

The Belgian state railways have ordered 12 locomotives from Philadelphia for September delivery. The Kansas City chief of police has of-

body of each highwayman killed in that The York's rapid transit tunnel was celebrated on Saturday with elaborate ceremo-

More than 8,000 women have registered in Cleveland in order to be eligible to vote | mandant. for a director of schools at the spring

election. The new United States naval hospital at Mare Island, Cal., has been completed process of organization under the proviand is ready to be turned over to the sions of the financial bill approved March government.

homes to prevent the spread of diphtheris prevalent there. land, Vt., has closed its doors, and the at Peck's mill pond last August. Heirs

misappropriation of funds. One man was killed and two men were injured by the premature explosion of a \$10,000. In all 40 claims have been setblasting charge in the copper mine near

Somerville, N. J., on Friday. Secretary Root has authorized General Davis, at San Juan, to give employment upon public works to surplus labor in Porto Rico to relieve the famine. The Anglo-American joint high cor

mission will reassemble at a date to be given out shortly, and possibly Ottawa will be the scene of the conference. George Eastman, treasurer of the East man Kodak company, has given to the Rochester Athenœum and Mechanics' in stitute property valued at \$200,000.

The sale of Wallace-Estill of Aberdeen Angus breeding cattle at Chicago broke all previous records. Seventy-two head brought a general average of \$579 each. The funeral of Edward B. Webster, Jr., private of the Ninth infantry, who was killed on July 18 last near San Luis,

in the Philippines, was held at Geneva,

The trials of the new Cunard steams Ivernia, built for the Liverpool-Boston service, proved every way satisfactory. The Ivernia will sail for New York on April 14. Twelve thousand dollars was realized

from a concert at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York city for the benefit of the Red Cross and Maine hospital ship ber Felt works at Fredonia, N. Y., en-tailing a loss to the building and stock of Prince Rudolph of Austria, has been Fire has destroyed the plant of the Ta-

will be thrown out of work. Michael Mellegin, boatswain's mate of the United States gunboat Machias, was killed and his brother Edward, fireman on the cruiser New York, was shot in the hip in a street fight at Galveston.

Nearly 100 recruits have deserted from Fort Slocum, N. Y., within the past few weeks because of the delay in sending recruits at that station to Manila. Nearly 1,000 men are quartered there. Olga Nethersole, Hamilton Revelle, Theodore Moss and Marcus R. Maver were indicted on Thursday afternoon by the grand jury for the production of 'Sapho" at Wallack's theater, New York

city. The fast mail on the Atlanta and West Point was wrecked at Ossanippa creek, Ga. One man, Reuben J. Oslin of Atlanta, express messenger, was killed and 15 people injured, some of them seri-

Captain Thomas Wilen, president of the Central National bank of Cleveland and a widely known vessel owner, has died in Jerusalem of pneumonia. He left Cleveland several weeks ago for an extended trip abroad.

Charles A. Towne, chairman of the er Republican national committee, has indergone a painful, but not dangerous, operation at St. Luke's hospital in Duuth. He is now doing very well and will be out in about two weeks. Counterfeit \$10, \$5 and \$1 notes are in circulation in Rochester, and as a conse-

are putting forth every effort to run down the gang whose hadquarters are believed to be in that vicinity. Thirty employees of the Blakeley Printing company in Chicago were injured by an elevator falling from the third floor of the Blakeley building. It is believed that none of the injured will die, although several were badly hurt.

The monthly statement of the collect

tions of internal revenue shows that for

the month of February, 1900, the total

quence United States secret service men

receipts from all sources were \$20,809,-665, an increase as compared with the same month in 1899 of \$1,160,659. The Wilmington Methodist Episcopal sustained all the forenoon by light offerings; conference, which represents Delaware and a portion of Maryland, has adopted RYE—Steady: state, 59c., c. 1. f., New York. The Wilmington Methodist Episcopal and a portion of Maryland, has adopted resolution condemning the army canteen and the use and sale of liquor

partment of Porto Rico will be relieved from duty in that department and proceed to the department of the Missouri, taking station at Jefferson Barracks. Great excitement prevails in San Juan county, N. M., owing to the discovery by John Hardie, S. R. McCorkell and J. L.

Fraser of quartz gold assaying \$201 to

the ton. Hundreds of prospectors have

rushed thither and staked off claims. The employees of the bottoming depart ment of Dunn & McCarthy's shoe factory at Auburn, N. Y., numbering 250 men and boys, quit work in a body Monday morning. What they are out for the employees and employers profess not to

Nearly 1,400 machinists in Cleveland have quit work. The strike involved practically all the 55 shops in the city, and all except seven, the proprietors of which quickly granted the demands of the men, will remain closed until the strike is Dr. Israei W. Heulings, a prominent resident of Moorestown, N. J., shot him-

act is variously ascribed to temporary nsanity and indulgence in liquor. He was engaged in the lumber business in of the attack is said to be that the Ma-Riverton. In accordance with their notice posted shortly after Jan. 1 promising an advance to their employees to take effect April 1, the Berwind-White Coal Mining

self in the head Sunday evening. The

company of Philadelphia notified all its miners of a general average advance of

General Guy V. Henry, U. S. A., who value of each share of capital stock is

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ceed Captain Leary as governor of the island of Guam. It is stated at the navy department that Captain Leary is coming home at his own request. H. M. Flagler and J. M. Ceballos are prominent among half a dozen New Yorkers who will invest money in Cuban real

was military governor of Porto Rico from

der, at present secretary of the naval in-

spection board, has been selected to suc-

Lieutenant Commander Seaton Schroe-

Dec. 6, 1898, to May 8, 1899.

estate. They will build a \$500,000 hotel in Havana opposite Morro Castle and establish a line of steamers between Miami. Fla., and Havana, making the trip in one fered to pay \$25 out of his salary for the New York State Treasurer John P. Jacckel has accepted the resignation of

Colonel Andrew Davidson as deputy state treasurer and announced the appointment of Barnet H. Davis of Palmyra to the position. Colonel Davidson has gone to the Bath Soldiers' home as com-A statement has been prepared by the mptroller of the currency showing the number and location of national banks in

14. These banks number about 400 in all, Thirty-two students at Lawrenceville and, with the exception of 10 or 12, each (N. J.) academy have been sent to their will have a capital of \$25,000. The Shelton Street Railway company of Bridgeport, Conn., has settled the last The Merchants' National bank of Rut- of the claims resulting from the disaster cashier has been arrested, charged with of Irving Dorus of Bridgeport received about \$3,000, and Miss M. Farrell of

> tled without resort to the courts. FOREIGN NOTES OF INTEREST.

The Bank of England has declared a dividend of 5 per cent. Sir Edmund Fane, British minister to

Denmark, died in London.

on the transport Kilburn at Cape Town. Admiral Sir Henry Fairfax, British commander in chief at Plymouth, is dead. The English field marshal, Sir Donald Martin Stewart, is dead in his seventyseventh year. Chevalier de Soura Correa, Brazilias

There has been one fatal plague case

dead in bed in London on Friday. It is reported that the Peruvian government intends to appoint Mr. Alexander Garland to be minister at Washing-Labor troubles have caused delay in the

ninister to Great Britain, was found

onstruction of the Transsiberian rall way, and it will not reach completion be-The pope has nominated Cardinal Pietro Respighi, archbishop of Ferrare, as

nal Jacobini.

ordered to Tangier.

ceived.

The rebellion which recently broke out in the province of Entre Rios, Argentins, has collapsed, and the rebels have surren dered their arms.

\$25,000. As a result about 50 employees married to Count Elsmer Lonyal, a Hungarian nobleman A dispute has arisen between France Morocco over certain African territory, and two French cruisers have been

> of the African republic of Liberia, nounces the extinction of the Liberian navy, consisting of two gunboats. Cardinal Camillo Mazzella, bishop of Palestrina, Italy, and prefect of the congregation of sacred rites, is dead. He was born in Italy in 1833 and was crented cardinal in 1886.

The latest oriental mail brings news

Mail news from Monrovia, the capital

that the British forces in north Borneo have killed Matt Selleh, the insurgent leader, who has three times incited the natives to rebel against British rule. On Thursday for the first time in 30 years the Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, commander of the forces in Ireland, visited Belfast on a tour of military

inspection. He was enthusiastically re-

The cable steamers Faraday and Mackay-Bennett laid the shore end of a new Atlantic cable at Canso, N. S., on Friday, and the Faraday proceeded to sea, reeling out the cable as she went. The ine will touch at the Azores. The little town of Kuskano, B. C., on Kootenay lake, has been entirely destroy-

ed by fire. Only two buildings were left

standing, and the people of the place are now destitute. An appeal for assistance was sent to the mayor of Vancouver. A press dispatch from Peking says that the "boxer" movement in the north is assuming alarming proportions. An in-decisive but severe fight has taken place between the "boxer" and the imperial roops at Yen-Chiu, province of Chi-Li.

Each force numbered about 1,500 men, and there were heavy casualties on both

General Markets. New York, March #7. FLOUR-State and western quiet at old prices, which buyers were trying to shade; Minnesota patents, \$3.70al.05, winter straights, \$3.45a3.55; winter extras, \$2.60a2.95; winter pat ents, \$3.6 a3.90,

WHEAT-Opened steady with corn and was

carlots: No. 2 western, 62c., f. o. b. affoat. CORN-Opened firm on higher cables, but teen and the use and sale of liquor in new possessions of this government.

By direction of the war department one squadron of the Fifth cavalry in the dewards state, 314a35c; track, white, western, PORK-Firm; mess, \$12a12.50; family, \$15e

18.50.

LARD—Firm: prime western steam, 6.57)40.

BUTTER—Steady: state dairy, 19a3to,; state creamery, 21a25c,

CHEESE—Firm: fancy, large, white, 18c,; fancy, small, white, 18a134c,

EGGS—Barely steady: state and Pennsylvania, at mark, 134a134c,; western, at mark,

SUGAR-Raw firm; fair refining, \$15-16e.; sugar-centrifugal. 96 test, 4 7-16e.; refined firm; crushed, 5.55c.; powdered, 5.25c.
TURPENTINE—Quiet at 555-686c.
MOLASSES—Steady; New Orieans, 4485c., RICE—Firm; domestic, 45685-6c.; Japan, 44

TALLOW-Steady; city, 5140.: country, 5140. HAY-Steady: shipping. 65a70on good More Trouble In Samoa The steamer Warrimoo brings news of resh trouble among Samoan natives. Lepan, one of the followers of Mataata, and a party went to Leon, or Tutuila. There were no chiefs to welcome them, and dur-

ing the night they were set upon and sev-

en were seriously wounded. After some time the chiefs stopped the fighting and told the visitors to leave. The real reason tanfa men had come to enslave the Leon villagers, and the latter, being warned, surprised them. Carnegie's New Company The new Carnegie company, which has resulted from the conference of Andrew Carnegie and H. C. Frick to settle the

20 per cent.

One person was killed, two seriously injured and about a dozen others were slightly hurt by a terrific explosion of collodion in the photographic supply establishment of Thomas H. McCollin & Co., that the trouble in which the firm is in- at 123 South Eleventh street, Philadel- 379 shares; Henry Phipps, Pittsburg phia, on Thursday.

By direction of the president the mili
Charles M. Schwab, Braddock, Pa., 18,tary post at Cayey, Porto Rico, will here- 929. The state receives \$32,000 fee for Barracks in honor of the late Brigadier franchise tax will be \$11,750. The par